They had Winchester rifles, shotgons and

American Horse then said that he had

A SALE OF JAPANESE GIRLS.

Windy City.
CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—Henry Storm of Pekin, China, now at the Palmer House,

tells of an experience he had in San Fran-cisco recently. He was invited by a friend

GENERAL SHERMAN SINKING.

The Old Warrior Believed to be Dying

In New York.

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Charged With Conspiracy.
ALLENTOWN, Pa., Feb. 11.—Max Bern-

telu and Isaac Lichtenstein, the proprie

A Mexican Shot in His Bedroom in

Cowardly Manner.

SANTA FE, N. M., Feb. 11.—Basilio Ro-

A Builroad Company in the Hands of

LOUISVILLE, Kv., Feb. 11.—The Kea-ncky Union Land and Railway Com-

any, one of the largest enterprises in the

Discharged Union Men.

To Debate a Motion to Censure the

Government.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The sittings of the

House of Commons on Monday and Thursday of next week will be given up

to dehate on Mr. Morley's motion to censure the Irish Executive for its action is the Tipperary presentions. On Thursda a division on the motion will be had.

Democrats Successful in a Mayoralty Election.

BISGRAMION, N. Y., Feb. 11 .- B. S. Car-

an, Democrat, was elected Mayor over

William Rood, Republican, at the charte

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GOVERNMENTGOSSIP

LIGHTHOUSE KEEPER APPOINTED.—William Gunter has been appointed assistant keeper of the light station at Cherrystone, Va.

Colonel Heywood Assumes Command—Colonel Charles Heywood has assumed formal command of the United States Marine Copps, and Colonel C. E. Hebb has been relieved.

To Join the Squareon of Evolution.— Orders have been issued from the Navy Department to the commandant of the New York Navy-Yard to have the cruiser Beston sail to join the squadron of Evo-lution at Pensacola. The commandant of the Atlanta at Norfolk received similar

SAW THE PRESIDENT.—The President's callers to-day included Senators Plumb, Pierce and Stanford; the Attorney-General: Representatives Payson, Dunnell, Morrill, Anderson, McKinley, Yardley, Hopkins, Wallace, Hansbrongh, Cane, Seranton, with Mr. M. J. Heaty and James J. Lynch of Virginia; Banks, Langston, with delegation from Virginia; Sereiary Proctor and ex-Representative Hill of Colorado.

ADDITION TO THE BUREAU OF ENGRAVING Apprilen to the Bureau of Engraving.

There is now available \$80,000 for the extension of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. The addition is to be made at the southwest angle of the present building, and will be eighty-five feet nine inches by fifty feet, four stories in height. The basement will be used for storage. The first floor will be occupied by the surfacing Division. The second and third floors will provide additional room for presses, and the fourth floor will be occupied by layatories and dressing rooms. An elevator will be put in the addition.

BOUTELLE'S ATTACK ON TRACY.

It Was a Case of Pique on the Part of the Maine Congressman. Congressman Boutelle's onslaught upon Secretary Tracy in the Reiter matter yes

Secretary Tracy in the Reiter matter yesterdsy was unexpected, and there has been considerable curiosity to know why the chairman of the House Naval Committee should have such a dislike for the Secretary of the Navy.

It appears that it is a case of pique, secretary Tracy, when he heard that Congressman Dalzell was about to make his attack, suggested to Congressman Lodge that he be prepared to reply,

Mr. Boutelle thought that as he was chairman of the Naval Committee he should have been called upon to respond, and in retailation for the disregard of himself turned about and attacked the Secretary.

A Successor to Correspondent Preston Mr. Thomas Alvord has succeeded Mr Herbert A. Preston at the head of the Washington bureau of the New-York

Colonel Higgmson says in a recent letter:
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of his destiny."—The Epoch.

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TALE OF A SAFE.

ROW A CHIEF OF DIVISION DID A LAND OFFICE BUSINESS.

Relped Himself to the Funds in the Recelving Clerk's Safe and Borrowed Money Right and Left from His Subordinates-A Scandal in the Interior Department.

For several months stories affecting the official conduct of Richard J. Hartman, the chief of the Division of Accounts, have been circulating through the corridors of the General Land Office, and that the matter has not become public property ere this seems due to the "pull" that Hartman possessed with the higher offi-

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cials.

Hartman is an Ohio man and owes his position to the kindly intercession of exGovernor J. B. Foraker. He was apin the summer of 1880 and remained in the office for some months.

Last November he went to his home in Findlay, Ohio, to vote, and, combining business with his duty as a citizen, proceeded to Tusson, Arizona, as a witness in a case pending in the courts of that Territory against the former receiver of public moneys in Tusson.

There is a a large iron safe, or rather there was one, in the room which Hartman occupied, in which were temporarily placed the money received by the receiving cierk, Mr. Henry J. Haines. Hartman knew the combination.

While the latter was in Arizona Mr. Haines went to Commissioner Groff and asked to have the safe removed from Division "M" (of which Hartman was chief), alleging as a reason therefor that during the previous ten months small sums had been abstracted from the safe, in all amounting to about \$200, and that he (Haines) could not stand it any longer. It appears that Haines knew of Hartman's peculations prior to his trip to Arizona and accused him of it. Hartman made no attempt at denying it, but prevailed upon Haines to accept two notes of \$100 each to cover the deficiency and assured him that he did not owe any one else a penny. Out of friendship for Hartman the receiving cierk consented to drop the matter.

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But while Hartman was in Arizona notices of several notes were sent to the General Land Offlee, and as Haines had the authority to open Hartman's mail he speedily discovered that his Ohlo friend had borrowed money right and left. Among those from whom he had obtained money were Commissioner Groff, \$15, the Assistant Commissioner Groff, \$15, the Pre-emption Division, \$10, Captain McCouncil of the Drvision of Accounts, \$25, and a number of others. Mr. Steele, the law clerk, in addition to loaning him \$10, indorsed his note for \$50.

When Haines ascertained these facts he became somewhat alarmed, and immediately sought the Commissioner and laid the entire facts before him, supplementing it with the startling assertion that Hartman had also promissed promotion to clerks, for a consideration, and had used his position to borrow money from his subordinates, when they could illaford to loan it.

Here was a dilemma, and Commissioner Groff quickly grabbed the bull by the horns. In an hour a message was sent to Hartman to return to Washington at once, and the genial Buckeye obeyed, satisfied that his "pull" would save him. It did temporarily, for, upon his arrival here, Hartman sought Haines, and was told the whole story by the latter.

Personal friendship, however, trimphed over public duty, and Mr. Haines, accompanied by his colleague, called upon the Commissioner. He pleaded to such an extent, while Hartman made all sorts of promises for the future, that Commissioner Groff agreed not to report the matter to the Secretary. Hartman went back to Arizona, but before he did so, aitempted to have a clerk in his division dismissed, because he had discovered the shortage while auditing the accounts, and threatened to report it. In this, however, he was unsuccessful.

One reason, it is alleged, that has retained Hartman in his position is that his creditors do not want to make his shortenmings known to the Secretary for fear it will

RECIPROCITY WITH VENEZUELA.

An Agreement Similar to the One With Brazil.

New York, Feb. 11.-The Times' Washington special says: It is understood that the President has ready for announcement a proposition of reciprocity with Vene

a proposition of reciprocity with Vene-zuela similar in terms to the agreement just reached with Brazil.

This agreement has been reached by the exercise of the powers conferred by the legislation of the last session of Congress, and will take effect, according to report, about the same time as the agreement with Brazil. with Brazi'.
The proclamation of the President would

have been made a day or two ago, as it was expected the agreement of Venezuela to the proposition would be received by the last steamer. The papers are on the way, however, and will arrive by the steamer due in New York on February 18, or thereabouts.

SHOT AT THE EDITOR.

But the Pistol Was Pushed Aside and No One Was Injured. Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 11.—Editor loseph Speyer of the Kansas City Post, a German dally paper, while in a saloon or Main street Monday night discussing the Main street Monday night discussing the attack being made on the Turner Society manager by the Post was accosted by a stranger who cursed Speyer and then opened fire on him with a revolver, but the proprietor of the saloon pushed the weapon aside and the ball struck a glass mirror. A general fusitade by Speyer, the stranger and proprietor followed, but the stranger made his escape.

FELL THROUGH A SHAFT.

Iwo Workmen Badly Injured By Fatt. While Harry Miller and Anderson Belt were cutting an elevator shaft Louisiana avenue they fell from afternoon, they the scaffolding on the third floor to the base ment. Miller had his leg broken and was hurt internally, as was Belt. They were aken to the Emergency Hospital.

Camera Views of Chicago On Saturday evening the Washington Camera Club will give a lantern enter alument, presenting views of Chicago orepared under the direction of the Alcago Camera Club. The exhibition vill take place at Grand Army Hall, 1412 Sennsylvania avenue, and the hall will be darkened at 8 o'clock.

Senator Hearst's Condition Senator Hearst's family report that he resting comfortably this morning, and here is no material change in his condiIN THE CRIMINAL COURT.

The Men Who Are Accused of Commit-ting the Hoffa Robbery Arraigned. The cases of Joseph Simms, alias Rory Simms, and Andrew McLoughlin, alias Yank McLoughlin, alias Andrew McMuller, etc., were arraigned for trial to-day on

an indictment found last December charging them with the Hoffa jewelry robbery. Yesterday a new indictment was found against them charging the same offense. Both indictments contain three counts, one for housebreaking in the day, another for housebreaking in the night and the third for grand larceny.

At the opening of the Criminal Count this morning Mr. W. A. Cook, who represents Simms, asked that his trial, which he understood was to follow that of McLoughlin, be postponed, as he was not yet sufficiently prepared.

Mr. A. A. Lipscomb, who appears for McLoughlin, stated that on January 3 Chief Justice Bingham had granted a severance, as the interests of the two defendants were conflicting.

Yesterday, he said, he was surprised to learn that a new indictment had been found against both men, charging exactly the same offense as the first, and containing the same number of counts.

Mr. Clagett said that he was not at liberty to make public the reason for the new indictment, and the motion was granted by the Court.

Simms and McLoughlin were both brought into court shortly before noon, and arraigned to answer the new indictment, the old one being nolle pressed. Both pleaded not guilty, and McLoughlin was immediately placed on trial. The indictment, the old one being nolle pressed. Both pleaded not guilty, and McLoughlin was immediately placed on trial. The indictment charges that on October 11, 1820, the jewelry store of Frank Hoffa, 409 Seventh street northwest, was robbed of watches and jewelry to the amount of \$15,000.

Mr. Clagett opened the Government's case by calling Mr. Hoffa to the store and discovered that the back of the store and under it a pile of furniture. Some papers of diamonds were scattered about the store and a dark lantern and an old pair of overhauls were also found. He saw some of his property in Pinkerton's detective office, in Philadelphia, about a week after the robbery. Mr. Hoffa then described as far as he was able the watches and jewelry which were stolen.

Detective Raff testified to

two other detectives, McLoughlin was arrested.

The usual recess was taken at 12:30 o'clock, after which Detective Raff continued his testimony. A number of burglar's tools were produced in evidence and indentified by the witness. "What do you call that," asked Judge Hagner, indicating a short iron bar. "That's a section jimmy," replied the detective. "Yok had better call it a force bill," remarked Mr. Lipscomb.

Arthur J. Perkins, who is employed at Price's store at the corner of Seventh and D streets, testified that on the day before the robbery McLoughlin came to the store and asked to see some rooms that were for rent over the store. He showed McLaughlin the rooms, but did not mention the fact until some time afterward. He identified McLoughlin as the man who locked at the rooms when the latter was arrested in Philadelphia. He had also shown another man the rooms a short time prior to the robbery, but he could not remember his personal appearance.

THE FIGHT FOR FREE COINAGE. The Democratic Programme Outlined

Congressman Anderson, a Republican, nember of the House, said to THE CRITIC this afternoon:

"The Democratic party on the floor of the House now is like a cat at a rat hole, waiting for a mouse. So far as I am con-cerned, I do not intend to be absent from cerned, I do not intend to be absent from my seat a single minute during the remainder of this session.

"The position of the Democrats, as I understand it, is this: A free-colnage bill must be passed by this House in order to save Grover Cleveland. It is understood that Mr. Bland will in a few days, when the House is not in Committee of the Whole, make a motion to discharge the Committee on Coinage, Weights and Measures from the further consideration of the Silver bill.

tres from the further consideration of the Silver bill.

He will, of course, be ruled out of order by the Speaker. He will then appeal from the decision of the Chair and on that appeal a vote will be taken. I would not flip a copper as to the result of that vote. I get it from the best authority that certain Eastern Democrats, who have heretofore opposed free colunge, will at the dictation of the party leaders, vote to sustain Bland. They will do this to save Cleveland.

I am a free coinage man myself, but as I am not engaged in the business of pull-ing Cleveland chestants out of the fire. I hall vote to lay the appeal on the table

WINDOM'S PROBABLE SUCCESSOR. What Ex-Congressman Goff Says About

The Hon. Nathan Goff, ex-Congress from West Virginia, is a frequent visitor at the White House. He is likewise a velcome visitor there. General Goff called on the President yesterday. He was closeted with him for more than an hour. Returning to the Ebbit House, the West Virginia statesman said to a friend:

"It is safe to say that an Ohio man will be appointed Secretary of the Treasury."

be appointed Secretary of the Treasury."
"Who will be the lucky man?" was naked. 'It won't be Major McKinley," was the

reply.

Will it be ex-Governor Foster?

"I have only to say that an Ohio man will be appointed," was the oracular an-

LAWRENCE, Mass., Feb. 11.-William

Marcus Morton, ex-Chief Justice of the

No Liquor Can Be Sold in Clubs. Sr. Louis, Feb. 11.-The Court of Appeals yesterday rendered an important ion with regard to the rights of clubs to sell liquors without a license. The case was that of the State vs. the Bacon Club of Neesho, Mo., the judgment of the lower court, ousling the club from its premises, being sustained.

Massachusetts Supreme Court, died last evening in Andover, after a lingering ill-ness. He was 72 years old. The Golden State at the World's Fair. SACHAMENTO, CAL., Feb. 11.—The House has passed a bill appropriating \$300,000 for California's exhibit at the World's Fair by a vote of 46 to 22.

LAPAYETTE, IND., Feb. 11.—Calvin 8. Brice, in an interview here, denied the report that he was about to purchase the "Monon." Monon."

Pants marked down to \$6. Eiseman ican Horse if the Sioux Indians were well armed, and he replied in the negative.

SERIOUS CHARGES MADE.

THE STORY OF THE WOUNDED KNEE FIGHT RELATED.

They had Winchester rifles, shotguns and revolvers, "Those who have a pass," he said, "could buy these guns at stores, some from grangers, and some from farmers within the Indian territory. We still have deer, prairie chickens and other game to shoot. We will readily give up what guns we have. The people who are closing in on us are a bad lot. Here they are good, but when they are away out there they want a little blood. My people would feel unsafe and would suffer if we were imarmed. I never heard of a council to consider the advisability of going on the warpath. I don't think there is any danger of an quibreak in the spring, when the grass comes." The Army is Consured by the Indians Who Allege That the Seventh Cavalry and Other Soldiers Massacred Their Defenseless Women and Children Without Mercy in Revenge for Caster and Lieutenant Casey's Murder.

There were not so many spectators a the Indian council this morning. As the atmosphere was colder than on Monday American Horse then said that he had neglected his own interests for the Government and his people, and said he wanted to resign the chieftainship and go into the quieter path of life.

This ended the council, Commissioner Morgan making a farewell address. The delegation will leave Friday morning and be shown the Postmaster-General's store in Philadelphia, and then be taken to Carlide Saturday. The Indians will be taken to see the President to-morrow. the Indians did not suffer so much disomfort from the heat.

Commissioner Morgan commenced the ouncil at 10:30 o'clock by asking whether the chiefs had any other speeches they desired to submit in writing. He held a written speech of Straight Head from Cheyenne River, requesting that the In-dian police be increased, and that service-able arms and ammunition be provided.

cisco recently. He was invited by a friend to attend "A sale of some choice Japs," and thinking Japanese brie-a-brae was meant, readily accepted. Arriving at the place, he found several well-known citizens in the parlor. A raised platform stood at one end of the room. "Suddenly," says Mr. Storm, "the folding doors in the apartment were thrown open, and through them came about twenty young Japanese girls. The girls were auctioned off at prices varying from \$40 to \$500 apiece. The girls had been enticed from Japan by unscrupations wretches, with promises of easy and remunerative employment. Such sales occur every month or two, but nothing is done to prevent them."

tion had not changed for the better since last night. At 9:30 this morning Dr. Alexander was waiting the arrival of Dr. Edward Janeway, with whom he was to hold another consultation. Last night the General only spoke when addressed and asked to take medicine. The members of the family were about the bedside all last night. If he lives to-day the crisis will be passed.

The Commissioner stated that he had requested Congress to authorize the additional force.

Geod Voice from Rosebud Agency was the first speaker. The Commissioner reminded him that this was the last council that would be held, and that he would furnish them with copies of the agreement with General Crook, which had been made law.

"The stock that I have raised," said Good Voice, "was stolen from me by the White people. There were about fifty-four head. I want the capable boys who have been educated to be given positions in the agency under the Government."

Commissioner Morgan read a telegram from Captain Fierce stating that the children of American Horse and Spotted Horse, who were present, desired permission from their fathers to join the party that will leave Pine Ridge to-morrow for the Carlisle School. Both chiefs readily assented, and the Commissioner telegraphed back their consent.

Quick Mare, an Ogallala from Rosebud, who was friendly to the Government during the late trouble, made a short address. He asked for more blacksmiths, placed at convenient points, so that their ploughs could be fixed without being compelled to wait three or four days.

Commissioner Morgan then told Rev. Mr. Cook to tell them that he had secured an increase of the pay of the police and the judges. "We paid out last year to Indian employes 8042000," hessid. "If I had 8000 to pay an Indian for his service; I think that it is better to split it in balf and pay two Indians, each receiving half of the amount mentioned."

American Horse, the second chief of the Ogallalas from Pine Ridge, then harangued his comrates. He complained that they had not spoken plainly enough and advised them to do so, no matter how harsh the truth might be.

Turning Hawk from Pine Ridge stepped out to address the Commissioner after the censure of American Horse. He spoke of the 1,700 men who left Rosebud for the war path, the leaders of whom were Two Strike. High Hawk, both in this city, Crow Dog, Turning Hall, Pine Bird. Short Bull, No Flesh and others. T

Tuning Hawk then related the story of the Wounded Knee fight. He told the story that all others have—that an irrepressible Indian fired his gun and killed an officer.

Spotted Elk interrupted, saying that he had witnessed the shooting. As soon as the shot was fired, he continued, the Indians drew their knives, disregarding the cries of the cooler heads, and the soldiers at once commenced firing. He said that the Indians had retreated up a ravine, but the soldiers followed them up on the sides, shooting them down on every hand.

Commissioner Morgan asked whether the Indian women had taken part in the fight with knives, which had been given as an excuse for the shooting of the squaws. The Indians thought that the soldiers must have been very blind, if they couldn't have told the difference between the men and women, as they had said. The women had fed through an open field, in an entirely different direction from the men.

American Horse explained that the people who had been standing around the young man who fired the gun were immediately killed, and then the Hotchkiss and other guns were directed toward the women, who had a flag of truce over them.

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American Horse replied that it was, saying that a woman with a babe at her breat was killed while standing beside the flag of truce. Many women as they fled with their babes on their backs were killed.

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Commissioner Morgan reminded them that these were serious charges to make against the United States Army, but the Indians replied that they were saying what was absolutely true.

White Bird suggested that Spotted Horse, who was present at the fight, be given a chance to speak.

"Much had been said about the story that the Seventh Cavalry had gone to the fight without any animosity," said Mr. Cook, "and with no desire to avenge Castier's fight. I know that this is untrue from my own experience. An officer said Caster's light. I know that this is diffrient from my own experience. An officer said to me with much savage pleasure, 'Now we have avenged Custer's death,' but a secont standing nearby said that Custer's men had arms to light with, but the Indians at Wounded Knee were almost entirely without arms, and it was a cold-blueded massacre.'

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blooded massacre. Mr. Cook made a deep impression by the relation of several events in connection with the fight, and repeated the charges that had been made.

He Dog was asked if he knew who shot Lieutenant Casey, and he said that Perer Reichard said that he saw an Orgaliala young man who had just come from an Eastern school kill Lieutenant Casey. This young man was from Rosebud, and was named Many or Plenty Horses. He had been home from Carlisle two years. The chief stated that everybody knew that this young man was the murderer.

Carence Three-Stars acted as interpreter for Spotted Horse, from Pine Ridge. He asked for a new school at his camp. Medicine Roof.

Big Road followed him and said that he had been a peaconaker, but fled from the agency when they were first on. He admitted that he was a prominent ghost dancer. He said that in the ghost dance they all joined hands and prayed to God for something to eat. They even took their finger rings that they might have no arms, and shutting their eyes they danced till they were exhausted and fell over. It was like a dream. He thought that the white people's religion was the same as their own, and they were much surprised when they found that the white people considered it wrong. White Bird spoke next.

Commissioner Morgan then asked American. Senator-Elect Brice Denies the Story.

A ROYAL INTRIGUE.

THE THRONE OF AN IMPORTANT

Emperor William Accused of Completing to Place His Brother on the Throne of Lippe Detmold-Parnell's Persistence-The Big Strike of the Shipping

Loxpon, Feb. 11.-A Berlin dispetch ays that the Kaiser is accused, although not openly, of intriguing to put his brother-in-law, Prince Adolphus of Schaumborg-Lippe, on the throne of the important principality of Lippe-Detmold, ruling prince is likely to die soon, without direct heirs and leaving only an insan-brother, Alexander, and two sisters, who have sought the seclusion of convents. Adolphus is in one of the lines of succession, but a remote one, and in his own family he is a younger son, without fortune or prospects, except as husband of

time or prospects, except as husband of the Kaiser's sister. The present Prince of Lippe-Detimold is about 67 years of age and suffering from a severe illness. The aspirants for his throne are already active and the Imperial party may have to be appealed to in order to settle the disputes, and this would give the Kaiser his opportunity to forward the interests of Adolphus and put his sister, Victoria, on the throne of a German State.

The Kaiser, however, is not having his way altogether in Germany, as shown in the Grand Ducher in Germany, as shown in the Grand Ducher of the Emperor, and carefully refrained from doing him honor, having taken no part in denoring the Emperor's birthday, and having since desclined all invitations to the Imperial Court. As the Grand Duchess is a member of the Anglo-Hanoverian royal family, it is possible that the Grand Ducke's course is inspired by a recollection of Prussia's suppression of Hanoverian royalty.

In the Reichstag, also, the Kaiser and

ANOTHER BASEBALL SQUABBLE.

yesterday at the instance of the Orient In-surance Company of Hartford, Conn., on charges of having set fire to the place and with consideracy to defraud the company out of \$2.000 insurance money. They were held for trial. a Fight. CLEVILLYSI, OHIO, Feb. 11.—There is likely to be a row between the National KILLED BY AN UNKNOWN ASSASSIN. League and American Association in Chi cago over the rape of the Athletic players. All the Eastern clubs are pledged to stand together, and by this time St. Louis, Louisville and the Columbus people are in line. Unless the National loard at Chicago sends the men back to the Athletic there is likely to be a revolt and a break in the national agreement group. nero, a citizen of Gaulisteo, a village thirty miles from here, was shot and killed Monday night in his bedroom by some unknown assassin. It is claimed by many that it is another political murder, Romero having been a strong Republican.

MYSTERIOUSLY MURDERED.

clection held here yesterday. John D. Blakeny, Demosrat, and a well-known single tax man, was defeated for the office of Assessor by Charles D. Aldrich, Repub-A Discovery in Photography. Panis, Feb. 11.-The claim is made by Professor Lippmann of the Sorboune that he has discovered a method of photographing the colors of a stained-glass window. No particulars are, however, given, as the process is as yet in a radimentary form.

Sold Its Territory. BERLIN, Feb. 11.-The German Wes Africa Company has disposed of four-fifths of its territory to the new Auglo-German Company for a payment of 2,000,-000 marks to itself and 4,000,000 marks to the German Government.

Pants marked down to \$3.60. Eiseman Bros., Seventh and E streets,

PRINCIPALITY THE OBJECT.

Federation Spreading.

family, it is possible that the Grand Duke's course is impliced by a recollection of Prussia's suppression of Hanoverian royalty.

In the Reichstag, also, the Kaiser and his Chanceller find that Prince Bismarck has Irlends and admirers, and one of them, Herr Arendt, loses no pretext to praise the former Chanceller and reflect caustically on the Kaiser's policy.

The rupture of negotiations tending to a settlement of the differences between the Irish factions is due to soveral causes. Mr. Ghadstone would not consent to a Home Rule plan that would leave the Irish Parliament independent of a veto by the Imperial Parliament. He would not consent to give any pledge whatever in writing, as he looked upon the proposition as insulting. On the other hand, the McCarthy faction could not hold its own members to any terms of settlement. Timothy Healy protesting that he would be content with nothing short of the final extinguishing of Parnell.

Parnell goes right on, apparently not guiding his conduct by any thought of settlement, and outspeken as ever in his contempt of the English Liberal leaders, who he avers, are obliged to grant Home Rule, or see the Tories remain in power. Mr. Gladstone's remark to the Australian labor delegate, Fizzgerald, that, after the next election labor would be the question of the day, is construed as meaning that, in Mr. Gladstone's opinion, Home linle is certain to triumph and be out of the way.

Her Majesty Queen Victoria, has, it is stated, concluded not to visit Florence this spring. The condition of affairs in that city as to health is slightly improving, but is still very bad. The clergy are offering up prayers and holding processions to get rio of the typhus fever, and the municipal authorities are trying to find out what the matter is with the drinking water. The Italian newspapers higher the epidemic for fear of frightening away visitors.

The strike against the Shipping trade of the Inited Kingdom will be paralyzed, inced be, to enable the men to succeed. The general question is the Senator Sherman telegraphed to friends here this morning that General Sherman was worse and that he would not return. Be Defeats an American Easily in Four Synney, N. S. W., Feb. 11.—Joe Goddard of Australia, champion of the Barrier, and Joe Choynski of San Francisco, rier, and Joe Choynski of San Francisco, fought at the Sydney Athletic Club this evening at catch weights for a purse of £500. Goddard defeated his antagonist in the fourth round. Goddard has fought many battles, and recently worsted Peter-Jackson, the famous negro puglist, in an eight round contest with gloves. Choynski was beaten in a contest with Jim Corbett in San Francisco some months ago, but was successful in a fight with Jack Fogarty of Australia. Proprietors of a Dry-Goods Store

tors of a large dry-goods and notion store, which was gutted by fire February 1, and Herman Lichtenstein and Louis Beeker two creditors of the firm, were arrested yesterday at the instance of the Orient Inthat some employes require their men to leave the union, and also require a de-posit of a week's wages to insure against

The Defunct Players' League Inspiring

A Man Found With Seven Bullet Holes In His Body.
Elknons, W. Va., Feb. 11.—The body of James Wilson was found at Camp No. 8 on the extension of the Norfolk and Western Railroad Monday. There were seven bullet holes in the body and two knife cuts. A gold watch, \$70 and a revolver were missing. No arrests have yet

pany, one of the largest enterprises in the State, has gone temporarily into the hands of a receiver. Mr. Hege of Lex-ington, superintendent of the Kentucky Union Railway, said the appointment of a receiver was to protest the campany's creditors from suits which are being started daily against the company. J. D. Cooley, formerly of the Standard Oli Company, is president. Liabilities are over \$3,580,000 in first and second mort-gage bonds and a large floating debt. been made. Another Bailroad Fight On New Your, Feb. 11.—The Trunk Line and Central Traille Association decided a and Central Trailic Association decided a few weeks ago that after February 1 they would not permit any of their Western connections to secure business in this territory by paying commissions to agents. Any road offending against this rule, the association declared, should be vigorously boycotted by all the others. Yesterday, however, a circular was received from the Wabash Hailroad headquarters inviting ticket agents to do business for that company and step up and gather in their incomes. The Trank Line Association's Passenger Committee held a meeting yesterday, but no action was taken toward boycotting the Wabash. Unless something is done at once all the other, roads getting business in this territory will be compelled to issue similar circulars offering commissions. ployes of the Pennsylvania Steel Works at Steelton bave been notified that their at Steelton baye been notified that their services are no longer needed, because, it is said, of their allegiance to the Amalga-mated Steel Association.

It is said many more dismissals will fol-low as soon as proof can be obtained against the men.

The officials of the company have de-clared war upon all employes who have any interest in the association.

Mortgaged Its Property. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 11.—The Kansas City Terminal and Bridge Company sas City Terminal and Bridge Company of Kansas filed a mortgage with the register of deeds in Kansas (19), Kan, pesterday, to the Central Trust Company of New York for \$4,500,000. The scentities for the bean are the franchises, bridges and road-beds of the Winner Belt Line in Kansas. The money is to be used for construction purposes on the Belt Line. No Agreement Reached by the Nut-

meg State's Legislature. Hanroum CONN., Feb. 11.—The legisla-

tive conference committee. Was in session here till midnight last night. Nothing was formally announced. The commit-tee has not yet concluded its deliberations, but the prospect of an agreement so very slight. Joint Debate Arranged Between Inger-

Joint Debate Arranged Between Ingersoll and Bounelly.

Missnarous, Miss., Feb. 11.—A joint
debate, which is to take place in the latter
part of March, has been arranged between
lanatus Bounelly and Hob Ingersoll,
Bonnelly to defend the cryptogram and
Ingersoll to uphold Shakespeare in the
controversy. ontroversy. Local Weather Forecast.

For the District of Columbia, Virginia, Margiand, Eastern Promaglewria, New Jeong and Delamare, fair reather, slowly cising temperature; variable winds.